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2007-09 Budget Bill Statutory Language Drafting Request

- Topic: Change Encumbrance Rules for State Shelter Subsidy Grant and Transitional Housing Appropriations
- Tracking Code: **BB6604**
- SBO team: General Government and Economic Development
- SBO analyst: Jenna Weidner
 - Phone: x 6-7329
 - Email: jenna.weidner@wisconsin.gov
- Agency acronym: COM
- Agency number: 143
- Priority (Low, Medium, High): Medium

Intent: This change removes the sentence, "All funds allocated but not encumbered by December 31st of each year lapse to the general fund on the next January 1st unless transferred to the next calendar year by the joint committee on finance" from the statutory language of Appropriation 20.143(2)(fm).

Under current law, funds from this appropriation must be encumbered by December 31st of the fiscal year. Any funds which are not encumbered by December 31st will be lapsed to the general fund on January 1st, unless the Joint Committee on Finance transfers the funds to the next calendar year. This language was developed almost two decades ago at the former Department of Health and Family Services when the program was operated on a calendar year. These funds are now administered on the state fiscal year and provide an important source of match for the state's federal Emergency Shelter Grant (ESG).

The past few federal budgets have been unpredictable, and funds have not always been awarded on time. Removing this date gives the agency more flexibility in the application process, and allows the state to streamline these funds with the federal ESG grant.

Sundberg, Christopher

From: Weidner, Jenna M - DOA [Jenna.Weidner@wisconsin.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, September 24, 2008 4:39 PM
To: Sundberg, Christopher
Subject: RE: Budget drafts

Hi, that's a good question. I think it would be fine to draft them together.
Thanks,
Jenna

From: Sundberg, Christopher [mailto:Christopher.Sundberg@legis.wisconsin.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, September 24, 2008 2:01 PM
To: Weidner, Jenna M - DOA
Subject: Budget drafts

I'm assuming you're the analyst identified on the draft request sheet as Jenna Weidner, but your email listing hasn't yet been updated.

I've got 2 separate requests relating to the approp (s. 20.143 (2) (fm)) for transitional housing and shelter grants: one to delete the annual lapse to the general fund on Dec. 31 (BB0004) and another to change it from annual to biennial (BB0001). Do you want me to draft these separately, or shall I put them together?

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- Topic: Change Appropriations for State Shelter Subsidy Grant and Transitional Housing from Annual to Biennial
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Intent: Under current law, this appropriation is annual instead of biennial, unlike other state funded housing sources such as Housing grants and loans and IBRETA.

Administering this program under an annual appropriation is difficult because it creates significant obstacles in coordinating the funds with other state and federal programs.

Changing this appropriation to a biennial appropriation will streamline this fund with the agency's other loan and grant programs, and maximize its use as an important source of federal match for the Emergency Shelter Grant. This change will also allow the agency to maximize the use of the funds.



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The Department of Commerce currently awards grants to fund transitional housing and associated supportive services for, and to fund the provision of shelter to, homeless individuals and families. The grants are funded by an annual appropriation from ~~GPR~~, and currently, moneys in the appropriation account that are allocated but not encumbered by December 31 of each year lapse to the general fund unless the Joint Committee on Finance transfers the moneys to the next calendar year. This bill deletes the lapse requirement and makes the appropriation a biennial appropriation. As a result, unencumbered moneys in the appropriation account will lapse to the general fund at the end of each fiscal biennium.

For further information see the *state* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

1 **SECTION 1.** 20.143 (2) (fm) [✓] of the statutes is amended to read:

2 20.143 (2) (fm) *Shelter for homeless and transitional housing grants.* The
3 Biennially, the [✓] amounts in the schedule for transitional housing grants under s.
4 560.9806 and for grants to agencies and shelter facilities for homeless individuals
5 and families as provided under s. 560.9808. Notwithstanding ss. 20.001 (3) (a) and
6 20.002 (1), the department may transfer funds between fiscal years under this
7 paragraph. [✓] ~~All funds allocated but not encumbered by December 31 of each year~~
8 ~~lapse to the general fund on the next January 1 unless transferred to the next~~
9 ~~calendar year by the joint committee on finance.~~

[✓]
 ****NOTE: This SECTION involves a change in an appropriation that must be
 reflected in the revised schedule in s. 20.005, stats.

History: 1979 c. 361; 1981 c. 20, 21, 349; 1983 a. 27, 83, 192, 381; 1985 a. 29 ss. 169 to 204, 3202 (14); 1985 a. 120, 332, 334; 1987 a. 27, 109, 317, 318, 399, 403; 1989
a. 31, 185, 237, 317, 325, 335, 336, 342, 359; 1991 a. 39, 259, 261, 269, 315; 1993 a. 5, 16, 75, 110, 232, 437; 1995 a. 27 ss. 483, 505 to 517, 608s, 609g, 609j, 964, 965, 977,
987, 988, 990 to 993, 1080b, 1085b, 1086b, 9116 (5); 1995 a. 116, 119, 216, 227; 1997 a. 9, 27, 35, 215, 237, 252, 310; 1999 a. 9, 84, 106, 185, 186; 2001 a. 16, 109; 2003 a.
33 ss. 292c to 297m, 593 to 600, 602 to 604; 2003 a. 255, 256; 2005 a. 25 ss. 150m to 156t, 331; 2005 a. 45, 358; 2007 a. 20, 125, 225; s. 13.92 (2) (i).

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Please note that this draft[✓] incorporates your requests numbered BB0001 and BB0004.

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September 26, 2008

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